

Notes from Correspondents

BELEN.

Special Correspondence.

Belen, April 15.—The Senators and Owls played their second game of the series last evening in the tournament, and the Senators won out in the evening's contest by the following scores:

Senators	1st	2d
C. A. Duller	122	154
A. Duller	116	151
John Becker	117	149
Ed Kramer	115	114
Men's Blind	210	135
Miss Zinth	108	120
Mrs. Indier	48	77
Miss Dorman	128	116
Mrs. Rigney	124	118

Totals	1,147	1,153
Owls	1st	2d
E. C. Zwinger	180	190
H. Emory Davis	98	180
George Oshkosh	116	130
Men's Blind	122	182
Miss Frances Graves	117	127
Miss Ritz	154	153
Mrs. Fred Becker	63	117
Miss Nowlin	113	115
Mrs. John Becker	102	110

Totals 1,066 1,282
This evening the Stars and Crescents finished their six games of the contest. The Crescents are ahead up to this evening. The scores of tonight's games are as follows:

Stars	1st	2d
P. H. Duller	139	162
Mrs. Wm. Le Brun	59	107
L. C. Becker	114	113
Mrs. J. D. Norwood	154	107
No. 1 Blind	121	197
Miss Norma Hancock	82	137
O. M. Seider	107	138
Miss Violet Smith	147	161
No. 2 Blind	147	161

Totals	1,150	1,234
Crescents	1st	2d
P. P. Simmons	135	158
Miss Katherine Graves	129	129
Wm. Le Brun	165	169
Mrs. Simmons	133	71
C. E. French	170	177
Mrs. P. B. Duller	62	105
J. D. Norwood	181	155
Ladies' Blind	112	118
Fred Becker	151	124

Totals 1,238 1,206
The Crescents are now the champions without a doubt. The Senators and Owls finish the contest next Friday evening. The Stars will be a good second in the race.

SAN MARCIAL.

Special Correspondence.

San Marcial, N. M., April 15.—The Rio Grande here is swelling its bed pretty full nowadays, and the Mexicans are rejoicing over a fine crop this year if the river keeps up its strength.

Jean Carney, a little boy of about 10 years of age, staying with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown, was badly bitten by a dog on the arm yesterday afternoon while playing around. Cause for the dog biting him is not certain, but the little boy says he went to pet him and he snapped him, making an ugly cut. The physician who carefully attended to the arm was Dr. C. G. Cruikshank.

Last night while train No. 33 was getting ready to pull out of town, backing up while there was two cars of merchandise not in the clear, ran into the cars, smashing way car No. 78 very badly. There was no one hurt.

The McCouch drug store opened their soda fountain with lots of soda trade last week.
The green leaves of the cottonwood trees and white and purple colors of fruit blossoms makes the people of San Marcial feel at home again.

Capt. James G. Fitch was down from Socorro last Thursday and Friday on special business.

L. M. Lasky, of the Golden Bell Mining company went to Rosedale a few days last week on special business.

W. A. Greenwood's family have returned to San Marcial again, where Billy will work in his old place as yard master of the railroad yards here.

LETTER BY DELEGATE RODEY.

He Administers a Wholesome Rebuke to a Boston Merchants' Association.

Delegate B. S. Rodey has written the following letter to the Boston Transcript:

Washington, April 15, 1902.
The Editor Boston Transcript, Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:—I see by your issue of the 10th instant that the Merchants' association, which held a meeting at Young's hotel the previous afternoon, took occasion to go out of its way to pass a resolution, objecting to the admission of New Mexico, Oklahoma and Arizona to the Union as states. Indeed, Mr. Editor, the struggling territories in question, who are making a great fight for their common rights with other parts of the nation, did not expect a resolution of that kind to emanate from the city of Faneuil Hall and Bunker Hill, and the home of Wendell Phillips. The only thing the inhabitants of the three territories have ever come with reference to the city of Boston, is that they have been guilty of purchasing a large amount of merchandise, such as shoes, crockery, rattan furniture, and many other things, from its merchants for from twelve years to a half a century last past, but may be they can be made to see the error of their way and stop it. Indeed, the territories in question are loath to believe that this so-called Merchants' association represents the general opinion of the good people of Boston. I will be thankful if you will publish this letter. Very truly yours,

B. S. RODEY.
Delegate in Congress from New Mexico.

What's the Matter?

From recent actions taken in matters of vital importance to McKinley county by Mr. Rodey, the people here are wondering if he knows that there is a county named McKinley in the territory?—McKinley County Republican.

Miss Perle Rothgeb Married.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of G. A. Rothgeb this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in which his charming daughter, Miss Perle Rothgeb, became the wife of C. Theodore

Hockemeyer, of El Paso, Texas. Rev. George Selby officiating.

The wedding was attended only by the immediate friends of the family and the bride and groom left on the afternoon train for El Paso, where the groom holds a reasonable position and has his headquarters for a St. Louis mercantile firm.

The best wishes of Mrs. Hockemeyer's many friends attend her on her journey with hopes that they may not be forgotten in her new happiness and Texas home.—Las Vegas Record.

FIRST CONVENTION.

Of the Bernalillo County Sunday School Association.

The first annual convention of the Bernalillo county Sunday school association will be held in the Baptist and Congregational churches of this city, Sunday afternoon and evening, April 20.

The officers are H. S. Grant, president; Roy T. C. Beattie, vice president; and W. K. Preston, secretary and treasurer.

The program is as follows:

Afternoon Session—Baptist Church, 2:30—Devotional service led by Rev. H. J. Powell.

2:00—Address of president, setting forth the object of the organization. Mr. H. S. Grant.

Open discussion.

Report of committee on constitution and by-laws.

Adoption of constitution and by-laws.

Report of schools by delegates.

3:00—Address of delegates.

Appointment of committees: On nomination of delegates to the state convention at Las Vegas on arrangements for next meeting.

Evening Session—Congregational Church.

7:30—Praise service, George Leo Patterson, leader.

7:45—Report of committee on delegates to state convention.

Election of delegates.

Unfinished business.

Music.

Scripture reading.

Prayer Rev. C. A. Bunker.

Music.

Address, Rev. T. C. Beattie.

Music.

MINER KILLED.

One Met Death and Another Injured Near Wickenburg.

Last Monday, Sam Beck was killed and Al H. Anderson severely injured in Burson's Homestead mine, near Wickenburg, says the Kingman Miner. The men had removed a pump from the 400 level of the mine and were replacing it with another. The pump was placed on a ship and was being lowered into the shaft and was stopped a few feet above the platform. A chain block was attached to the pump and the car ran down to clear it of the pump. In some manner the car hung fast to the ways and Beck, who was looking after the placing of the pump, thought the engineer had overlooked his signal and rang again to give him slack. He got under the ship and told Anderson to look after the pump and asking him to shake the car that it might not become fast when slack was given. Anderson looked up the shaft and made the discovery that a great pile of cable was lying on the car.

At the time he was shaking the ship and all of a sudden the pump and ship came down with a crash, crushing them against the timbers and crushing the life out of Beck. The ship and pump fell into the bottom of the dump, a distance of thirty-five feet and the gallow frame was completely wrecked. When the men were found Anderson was unconscious and Beck was dead. After hard work Anderson and Beck were removed from the wreckage in the shaft and taken on top. The body of Beck was taken to Prescott and Anderson was taken to Wickenburg, where he is fast recovering.

Al H. Anderson is well known in Mohave county, having resided here many years. His many friends will be pleased to learn that he will not be crippled in any way by the accident.

RICH STRIKE IN MOHAVE.

New District Discovered Near Peach Springs, Arizona.

A correspondent writing to the Prescott Journal-Miner from Peach Springs says: Quite a rich strike has been made twelve miles south of Peach Springs in Mohave county, Ariz. Ore has been found in the contact, between the slate and granite, running 30 per cent in copper and \$120 in gold to the ton. On one claim free gold has been found in a 55-foot shaft. There are ten claims in the group, all carrying free gold. One claim showing a three-foot ledge carrying \$20 in gold and 30 per cent copper; another with a free gold ledge running from \$62.50 to \$120 per ton; also a porphyry ledge showing good values in gold.

Specimens running as high as \$500 per ton have been found on the claims. In Wright creek, near by, there is plenty of water for all purposes, including milling, etc., also plenty of timber for fuel purposes. The ten claims are the only prospects in that portion of the country, and the outlook of the camp is flattering indeed. There is a good wagon road from Peach Springs to the camp.

The lucky discoverer is William Tucker, of Ash Fork, who is with Mr. J. M. Little and D. M. Alexander, of Williams.

INDIAN SCHOOL NOTES.

Mrs. Ida Farnam, our school cook, who recently arrived from Mesquite, N. M., has received a telegram announcing the death of her sister.

Mr. Smith, an Indiana friend of Miss A. B. Bush, was a caller at the school this week.

Superintendent Collins, in company with W. H. Pope, attorney for the Indians, is at San Felipe, looking after the Indians in that section. They intend to try and secure a large reservation for the San Felipe Indians.

We are sorry to have to chronicle the death of Miss Scott, who died yesterday morning at the Lockhart ranch, near the Indian school. Miss Scott

was a victim of consumption and came here a few weeks ago in company with Miss Warren, in the hope of recovering her health. Her body was shipped this morning to her home in Fargo, N. D.

MOVE TO SYRACUSE.

Albuquerque Dining Hall and Bunk House Will Come to Kansas.

A special from Syracuse, Kan., says: Superintendent G. E. Ayer, Superintendent of Bridges and Buildings B. F. Mills and Roadmaster J. M. Sax were in Syracuse Monday for an hour. They were on their annual inspection of bridges and were going over the road on an automobile car. Mr. Ayer states that the bunk house at Coodigee and a 75-foot dining hall at Albuquerque will be removed to Syracuse and probably erected either immediately south or north of the depot to be used as a day eating house. The dining hall will seat several five people at tables. The intention to make this a regular dining station has been arrived at quite recently. Mr. Ayer also said that from five to eight crews would be here regularly. This is also a substantial increase over the original plans. A 39-foot steel tank will be erected near the coal chutes which will furnish water pressure for all purposes. The past week has witnessed the laying of most of the switches connecting the main line with sidings and sub-sidings.

LAS VEGAS.

From the Record.

W. A. Givens is still confined to his room with tonsillitis.

J. R. Kirk and family left for a two months' visit in California.

R. D. Gibbons and family left for a tour of California. They will be gone about a month.

Ned F. Nason, of this county, has asked that the district court shall release her from her matrimonial tie with Fred Nason, because he abandoned and deserted her.

Lambing season is now on, and six men went down to Santa Rosa this morning to help care for Floyd Coman's flocks.

W. B. Twitchell, the popular mining expert here, left for Denver and points east. He will look the machinery for a 20-ton reduction mill for the Teocotele district and then go to Kansas City and St. Louis. In St. Louis he will see parties who control state erecting a 10-ton reduction plant at Fulton. Mr. Twitchell will also go to Chicago and he expects to be gone fifteen days.

The library board has had a communication from Mr. Carnegie in which he intimates that he will raise the offer made the city here for a library to \$15,000 as requested, if a \$1,000 annual maintenance fund will be guaranteed and our citizens may confidently look forward to a fine edifice in due time. The board has appointed a committee on site and the work is going forward.

From the Optic.

Las Vegas knock the electric car line, they should be known and boycotted.

Harry Stowe, the manager of the coast side fire team, is laid off with an injured arm. He was slung against a rock.

Francisco Manzanarez and son and others, have filed two mining claims deeds in the probate clerk's office. The claims are located in the San Pablo district.

J. H. Hicks is in the city from Santa Rosa, in the immediate neighborhood of which he has a large cattle ranch having purchased the Arma Negra grant. Mr. Hicks is an old friend of Jack Chaffin, they having been early contractors together in early times on the Atlantic & Pacific, then the name of the now Santa Pacific.

John Alexander Ridout died at the residence at 1005 Fourth street, where his mother, brother and sister reside. He was a son of the late Samuel Ridout, of Ottawa, Canada, and came here three months ago from Greenwood, B. C., where he was engaged in the hardware business. He was a sufferer from tuberculosis. He was 19 years and 4 months old.

SANTA FE.

From the New Mexican.

George E. Ellis intends to open a lumber yard and a plumbing establishment in Santa Fe.

District Attorney E. C. Abbott is preparing to bring suit against the delinquent tax payers of Santa Fe county.

Henry Picman, Jr., of the Manual school at Albuquerque, returned to Santa Fe from a trip to the cliff dwellings near this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Haynes and Miss Eva Dougherty will leave for Excelsior Springs, Mo., where they will spend some time for Miss Dougherty's health.

S. H. Ellins, postmaster of Columbia, Mo., and brother of Senator Ellins, returned from Dolores, on Ortiz mine grant, where he is looking after extensive mining interests.

Superintendent of Forests I. B. Hanna, Forest Supervisor George Langenborg and Forest Inspector E. T. Allen left on a tour of the western and northern portions of the Pecos forest reserve.

W. H. Pope, United States attorney for the Pueblo Indians, will leave for San Felipe. He will be met at Bernalillo by Superintendent Collins of the United States Indian school near Albuquerque, who will accompany him to San Felipe.

Santa Fe Cantenets.

George Bowman left last night for El Paso, from where he will go to Torrance to take charge of the cantenets established there by Ernest Myers, of this city, who has the contract for all on the Santa Fe Central. One cantenet is at Kennedy, one at Torrance and one at Clark.

Bought a Store.

J. J. Hamilton, who formerly had charge of the drug room at the Santa Fe hospital, left this morning for Cerillos. He has purchased the drug store there formerly owned by the late Mr. and Mrs. Forsythe and has gone to take charge.

In a letter to John A. Lee, Horace Seymour, of Elgin, Ill., writes that he will be here in a few days and would like to meet Mr. Lee, as he is one of the members of the American Lumber company. Mr. Seymour is connected with the company, and comes west for the purpose of visiting the company's tract of timber lands out west and determining certain locations.

"PORTALES CUT-OFF."

Three Surveying Corps in the Field for the Santa Fe.

THE SHORT LINE.

The Citizen was informed this morning, and the news comes from a source which is strictly reliable, that the Santa Fe Railway company has three surveying corps in the field between Portales, Chaves county, and the Rio Grande below Salinas.

This survey is for the Santa Fe "short cut-off" not what is known as the "Roswell cut-off," and instead of Roswell the survey as now outlined will run from Portales south around the divide between the Rio Puerco and the Rio Grande to a point just below Salinas, thence up the Rio Puerco to the Santa Fe Pacific.

The middle division corps were in camp at Torrance and were to break camp today. They have surveyed from Torrance to the head of Yaso canyon, following it to the Pecos, thence seven miles south of Fort Sumner, and from there over the plains to or near Portales.

The eastern division is surveying from Portales to Fort Sumner, while the western division is operating from Abo Pass to the Rio Grande below Salinas, thence up the Rio Puerco to the Santa Fe Pacific, south and around the divide between the two streams.

This "Portales cut-off" will, so it is understood, lessen the distance over the Santa Fe between Chicago and the Pacific coast materially; in fact will give the Santa Fe the shortest route to the Pacific coast, and that's one of the big reasons why the Santa Fe is so stirring itself in the matter of locating the Rock Island in its claim that the shortest route to the western coast from Chicago is over the Rock Island.

DEPOT MASTER BARTON.

Two Hoboes Gave Him a Lively Chase, But He Landed His Birds.

Frank Barton, the heavyweight who wears a star indicating that he is the official depot master, enjoyed a lively sprint this morning. During the night he kept his optics on two suspicious appearing hoboes, who were evidently attempting to break into a car for a free ride out of town, but the hoboes kept at a good distance. At 8:30 this morning, just before the delayed passenger train from the south pulled in, Barton noticed the two hoboes monkeying with a seal on a merchandise car. He promptly gave chase, with the two hoboes running in opposite directions. One of the tramps came up the yards, and passed the depot at a 11-second gait. When Barton landed in, with one of his limbs dragging, the hobo was out of sight. Barton, however, stood up and finally captured the two tramps near the Crystal ice works, landing the fellows in the city jail. Barton says the reason he was distanced in the race was the fact that one of his huge brogans came in contact with a rail, partially wrenching the foot, and thus preventing him from making any faster time than a cow could run. The hoboes give the names of Harry Wright and Richard Smith.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Wagon Upset by Current in Chama River Near Abiquiu.

News comes from Abiquiu, Rio Arriba county, that Bonifacio Montoya and family and Stephen Easton had a narrow escape from drowning in the Chama river last Friday. As it is they lost their wagon and a considerable amount of merchandise. In the wagon were Mr. and Mrs. Montoya, their 11-month old child, Mrs. Montoya's 12-year old niece and Stephen W. Easton. The Chama is high on account of melting snow in the mountains. The party attempted to cross it nine miles below Abiquiu, but in the middle of the stream the current upset the wagon. Stephen Easton managed to save the women and Montoya extricated himself. The traces of the horses were cut and the wagon was carried down stream. Montoya and Easton worked for two hours in the ice cold waters of the stream but were unable to save any of the merchandise nor a number of valuable papers they happened to have with them.

THE MESILLA VALLEY.

Prosperity in the Air—People Looking for Investments.

Judge John R. McPhee, who returned to Santa Fe from a visit to Las Cruces, informed a representative of the New Mexican that the vegetation in the Mesilla valley is well advanced, fruit trees being in full bloom and alfalfa having attained a growth of six inches already. Last night court is in session and there are a good many strangers in the valley, some of them looking for investments and for homes. Five murder cases will be tried at the present term of the district court, amongst them the case against Childers for the murder of Thomas S. Heilin, a Silver City attorney. The outlook for a fruit crop for the present year is very good and people are hopeful for the future. The mining industry in eastern Dona Ana county is active and prosperous and Las Cruces is growing and increasing in population.

KILLED IN CLAY BANK.

Convict Francisco Salmaron Meets Accidental Death Near Santa Fe.

Convict No. 1502, Francisco Salmaron, was killed while working at the clay bank in the northeastern part of Santa Fe by a rock falling upon him. He was United States convict, who had been sentenced to three years imprisonment for violations of the provisions of the Edmunds act. His trial was had in the Fourth judicial district and he was from San Miguel county. He had served about a year and a half of his sentence.

Accidentally Shot.

James Duran, a brother of Juan Duran, of this city, was brought in Sunday morning from the Corralito, where on Saturday night while at tempting the hammer caught and the scabbard was discharged, the ball striking him in the upper part of the right leg ranging downward and passing out

several inches below. Drs. North and Charlton dressed the wound and he is reported to be getting along nicely.—Clayton Enterprise.

BAPTIST CONVENTION.

Fine Showing Made of Work for the Past Year.

Yesterday afternoon the New Mexico Baptist convention held its regular session with Dr. A. P. Ralston, of Omaha, Neb., Rev. George E. Brewer, of Herman, Ia., and W. A. Gager and C. W. Ward present. Dr. Ralston represented the board of home missions as he is general missionary for the western states.

The report of Rev. George E. Brewer, general superintendent, showed he has traveled 7,777 miles, preached forty-four sermons, delivered ten addresses and collected considerable money. The church in this city has become self supporting since the coming of the new pastor March 1, making four during the year.

New churches have been organized at Santa Rosa and Encarnacion.

Last year the home mission board gave \$4,000 to New Mexico, but this year \$5,000 will be asked as the scope of work has been increased.

Yesterday \$1,725 was appropriated.

CRIME COMMITTED.

An Aged Man Coming to Las Vegas Is Beset by Highwaymen.

Yesterday while Eldorado Torres, 66 years of age, was coming from his home to Las Vegas for the purpose of trading, he was overtaken by two masked men who assaulted him and beat him into insensibility, says the Optic.

The old man was robbed of \$70, which he was carrying. He also had a pension check of \$24, which was left with him.

He lives in Mora county and it was in that county that the crime was committed. He came to the city and had his wounds taken care of. He thinks he knows who the assailants are but on account of their being masked he does not know definitely. He gave notice to the sheriff, who at once telephoned the sheriff of Mora county to have the suspected characters arrested.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Territorial Fair Association Elected Its Officers Last Night.

The board of directors of the Territorial Fair association last night met at Zeigler's Cafe. The committee on nomination of officers consisting of Simon Stern, W. L. Trimble and Ivan Grunfeld presented the following ticket:

President—J. H. O'Reilly.
Vice President—C. E. Newcomer.
Secretary—P. P. McCanna.
Treasurer—M. W. Flournoy.

The report was unanimously adopted and these gentlemen will serve as officers for the next fair. The officers will have the privilege of selecting the executive committee.

Mr. O'Reilly made an enthusiastic little speech accepting the presidency and extending his thanks.

TWO MEN ACQUITTED.

District Court Jury Disposed of Cases Rapidly.

This morning Judge Baker called the civil docket in district court and assigned the cases for trial.

Juan Antonio Garcia, charged with assaulting Tranquillo Sedillo was acquitted. Just after the jury had rendered the verdict and retired enough plastering fell from the ceiling into the jury box to have rendered half of them insensible.

David Chaves and Vicente Martin, who was charged with larceny from the person by Meliton Garcia, were promptly acquitted. They admitted having thrashed him but denied having robbed him.

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff was given in the case of Martin P. Stanton against Ann E. Carter et al, and the case of the First National bank against S. Lewinson was dismissed on the failure of the plaintiff to plead within the time ordered.

Farmington Odd Fellows.

At the Odd Fellows' meeting last Tuesday evening there were two new members, Wayne Harris and Clarence Wilson, taken into first degree membership. The lodge then adjourned to the Hotel Compton, where the proprietor had prepared a supper, which was served by the lodge.

The following is a nearly complete list of those present:

N. E. Stevens, of Albuquerque, and L. C. Grove, of Aztec, were visitors. Townfolk: Messrs. Locke, Johnson, Kavanagh, Harwood, McCracken, Andrews, Duffer, Smith, McEwen, Bullard, Randolph, Hays, Townner, Craig, Chamberlain, Milligan, Starr, Wilson, Martin and Graf; Messdames Starr, McCracken, Bullard, Milligan, and the Messrs. Rose and Nancy Eaton.—Farmington Times.

Jenkins—McGee.

On Tuesday evening Harry B. Jenkins and Della McGee were married at the home of the bride's parents, 711 South Broadway. The ceremony was performed by Homer L. Mattee, a brother of the bride, who recently came here from Missouri.

The bride came here from Albany, Missouri, about six months ago and is well known among the young people of the city. Mr. Jenkins has for nine years been employed in the Albuquerque foundry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins will soon leave for Kinsley, Kansas, which is Mr. Jenkins' old home and where they will reside.

A Dry River.

Rev. J. J. Gilchrist, of Raton, N. M., says that the Rio Grande is now five inches lower at Rincon than one week ago. The river is dry from Dona Ana to Anthony. Just below Anthony is a small amount of slough water that has its source in a spring. "Unless there comes a fresher to break the dam there will be no water in El Paso for a long time." Mr. Gilchrist concluded.—El Paso News.

Lost in Mountain.

An El Paso telegram says: Godfrey Hughes, an assayer of this city, left for Bernalillo, N. M., on receipt of a telegram which told of the loss of his little 5-year old son, who had wandered away three days ago and was lost in the mountains.

L. Penabaz and Barton Phelps of the Topeka mechanical laboratory, who went to La Junta several weeks ago to take indicator tests on some of the locomotives running between there and Raton, N. M., have returned to Topeka.

COIN FOR COURT